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In the Application of:

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Universal Instant Messaging

System For The Internet

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Applicant hereby submits this Notice of Appeal to appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals from the decision of the Examiner mailed October 31, 2007, rejecting claims 16-20, 22, 103, and 105-151.

APPLICANT CLAIMS LARGE ENTITY STATUS. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the above-identified patent application or credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. 50-0235.

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